GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
STEEL
LOK SABHA

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MODERNISATION OF DURGAPUR AND ROURKELA STEEL PLANTS
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Will the Minister of STEEL be pleased to state:

(a) whether Steel Authority of India Limited(SAIL)has approved a Rs. 136 crore investment in its integrated steel plants at Durgapur and Rourkela;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the details of the expenditure incurred by SAIL in the modernisation of said plants?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF STEEL (SHRI BRAJA KISHORE TRIPATHY)

(a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Steel Authority of India Limited (SAIL) has approved a new Ladle Furnace in Steel Melting Shop at Durgapur Steel Plant (Rs 23.33 Crore) and Rebuilding of Coke Oven Battery No. 1 at Rourkela Steel Plant (Rs. 112.39 crore) in March, 2003.

(c) SAIL has incurred expenditure of Rs. 4326 crores and Rs. 3978 crores in the modernisation of Durgapur Steel Plant and Rourkela Steel Plant respectively till March, 2003.